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OF: TAKAGI ET AL.

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Sir:

In reply to the Office action of June 09, 2003, it is respectfully requested that the following amendment and remarks be entered and considered for further prosecution of the above-identified application:

A M E N D M E N T

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend Claims 1 to 5, cancel Claims 6 and 7, and enter new Claims 8 to 12 as indicated in the Listing of Claims set forth in Appendix I attached to this paper. A clean copy of the claims as herewith amended is found in the attached Appendix II.

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